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Summary

From 7 to 19 August 1988 a training course in toponymic management was held at Québec for representatives of French-speaking countries: Benin, Côte d'Ivoire, Gabon, Haiti, Madagascar, Mali, Morocco, the Niger, Senegal, Togo, Tunisia and Zaire. Representatives from Bolivia and Saudi Arabia also participated in the course.

The course, sponsored by the United Nations, was organized by the Commission de toponymie du Québec with the participation of the Canadian Permanent Committee on Geographical Names (CPCGN), which represented the host country at this event.